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PRICE TWO CENTS.

Prosperity ---

A Sign of

EGGLESTON IS VERY CONFIDENT

Leaves City Declaring That His Charges Are 'Fully Sustained.

BOARD COMMITTEE PROBING FURTHER

Checks and Receipts Will be Examined - Eggleston Claims Board Must Admit Truth of Charges or That It Knew of Large Profits.

The State Board of Education adjourned yesterday without finally disposing of the investigation of the charges of Mr Eggleston, Jr., that the board had imposed upon in the adoption of school Register at the exorbitant charged therefor. Without taking many further in the case, the board ted a resolution creating a committed a resolution creating a committed that there to accreting whether there may further evidence, and if so to use it and report to meeting of the 1 to be called for the purpose. Is action of the board is regarded many as indicating that the board been seriously impressed by the testing the testing that the the control of the committee of the c

ow of the alleged connection of Mr. Gilvray with the Register, that matheng made public for the first time denesday. Indeed, Mr. McGilvray ematically denied that he had any knowlers that the account was kept in his me, and positively disclaimed any unlary connection with the publican, and Mr. Thomas also stated he had some aware of the association of the of Mr. McGilvray with the Register the first time in this inquiry.

Eggleston Confident.

Tr. Eggleston left the city yesterday, ring an engagement to make an edulonal address this evening. He expected the belief that he had sustained charges that the board had been imped upon, and proved all he set out

was paying an extravagant price Register, and that the Depart of Public Instruction could have department having knowledge of

the meeting of the board yesterday Eggleston charges and the evidence cod to sustain them were the subof discussion in executive session, what the views of the members s to the disclosures made cannot be d at this time. It is known, howthat the board is sufficiently imed to seek further evidence, and made apparent that the board anxious to see the receipts given for. Thomas to the Hermitage Press, the cancelled checks by which he paid his royalty. It is regarded kely that the question of Mr. as's anonymous connection with publication of the Register may be the subject of further inquiry.

Eggleston, Jr., in reference to the School Register shall be referred, in order to ascertain whether there is any evidence that can be discovered relative to that matter; and, if so, to endeaver to obtain the same, so that it may be laid before or heard by the board at a future meeteston. Jr., in reference to the School

ins.
Governor Montague, president of the board, named the following as the committee: Attorney-General-William A. Anderson, Dr. Lyon G. Tyler and Mr. John W. West

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Further than the adoption of this resolution the board took ne further action, and will take none until it shall be called together by this committee to report. It is regarded as practically assured that the committee will ask Mr. Johkins, of the Hermilage Pross, to exhibit the cancilled checks paid to Mr. Thomas and the receipts given by him to the Hermitage Press.

mitage Press. Whether or not Mr. Thomas's action in in which his name did not appear, con-stitutes a violation of the spirit or the letter of the State statute inhibiting such connection, is a question about which the members of the board flo not express

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The testimony taken at the inquiry and very fully printed in The TimesDispatch caused the matter to be very widely discussed yesierday. It was a general topic among men taking an interest in public affairs. It is generally admitted that Mr. Eggleston has made some surprising disclosures in the testimony he adduced, but whether those disclosures are sufficient to convince the members of the board that they have been imposed upon in adopting the Register at seventy-five cents, when it costs but twenty-five to print it, can only be known by the board's action. Indeed, a competing firm offers to print the Register for cighteen cents. The board will, in its final action, either sustain Mr. Eggleston has sustain them, admit its members were imposed upon or it will, by refusing to sustain them, admit that it knew that a school principal was deriving a large royalty at the exponse of the Board.

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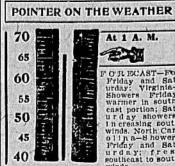
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Departure from normal temperature. Precipitation during past 24 hours...

MINIATURE ALMANAC. May 26, 1905.
4:55 HIGH TIDE.
7:10 Morning 10:54
12:59 Evening 11:34

TO AID THE SOUTH

Begged to Come to the Cotton Industry's Assistance.

PRESIDENT MOST HIGHLY ENDORSED

North Carolinian Declares He Is the Greatest Man in the Country To-day, and rias the Power, the Mind and the Will to Help the South. Resolutions Adopted.

WASHINGTON, May 25 .- After adoptest to the South, the Southern Industrial Parliament adjourned to-day to meet

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From Keswick Horse

Miss Bolton Receives a Pro-, found Shock and Is Badly Bruised.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., May While returning from the Keswick Horse Show late this afternoon, the horse driven by Miss Hazel Bolton, of this city, beof Shadwell and ran away, throwing Miss Bolton and the other two occupants of dent at the University of Virginia, and The shock to Miss Bolton was protound for a while, and it was some time before she responded to the stimulants administered by Drs. Sinciair and Browning. An ambulance was summoned from this city and the young lady taken to "Edge Hill," the home of Mr. Robert D. Ballentine. She received severe bruises about the forehead and cheek, and one eye was closed. Her left elbow was also badly bruised and cut.

Company, and is one of the most charming girls of the social set at the University of Virginia.

Honor Memory of Lee.

dupter a memorial to the memory of General Fitzhugh Lee, who addressed the convention at Fort Monroe last year, which was ordered sent to the family. The convention decided to meet at Old Point Comfort next year.

Howard C. Wiggins, Rome, N. Y., was elected supreme regent and W. O. Robson, Boston, supreme secretary.

SENATOR TILLMAN AND PHILADELPHIA GAS DAUGHTERS INJURED PLEASES COMMITTEE

Works a Revelation to Richmonders.

(From Our Regular Correspondent) WASHINGTON, D. C., May 25,-The committee from the Richmond City Counoil and Board of Aldermen, which has been in Baltimore and Philadelphia this week investigating the manufacture of gas in those cities, reached Washington this afternoon and left at 7 o'clock for

Standard Is Excellent and the Carriage Plunged Over Embank-

ment, Hurling Occupants Fifteen Feet.

(By Associated Press.)

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 25.-Late last night, while returning home to Trenton in a carriage, after attending the commencement exercises of the Bouth Carolina Co-educational Institution, at Edgefield, Senator Benjamin R. Tillman

THE NATIONAL GAME. HOT FUSILADE IN CROWDED STREET

Smash Up While Returning Manchester Man Fired Six Rojestvensky on Way and News Times at Police

THREE THROWN OUT OF BUGGY WANTED TO KILL D. L. TONEY THE STORY NOT CONFIRMED

Sergeant Wright Empties Revolver at Ross Sutton, Who Is Overpowered,

That some one in Manchester did not random, whistled about Hull Street along

Ross A. Sutton, twenty-six years of age and an employe of the Southern shops fired six shots at Police Sergeant A. S. Wright and the officer replied by empty ton. Another officer fired twice. Not bars in the police station charged with attempted murder and shooting on the Stopped by Sergeant Wright as he was

on his way to shoot Hon. D. L. Toney,

Brother Warns Them.

above the officer on the sidowalk.
"What do you want?" he asked.
"Come here; I want to speak to you,"
replied the officer.
"Maybe you want this," and as he said
this, Sutton drew a revolver. With a
flourish he fired one shot down into the
street and then pointing the revolver at
Sergeant/Wright dared him to move another step. Scarcely before the threat was
made the man pulled the trisger and the
builtet spead down Hull Street. Pedestrians, other step. Scarcely before the Linear was made the man pulled the trigger and the builet sped down Hull Street. Pedestrians, members of the fire department and a crowd that was at the corner of Tenth and Hull at the time began to scurry for places of safety. In rapid succession Sutton pulled the trigger, and the leaden missiles flew down the streat in the direction of the officer. With the second shot, Sergeant Wright jumped behind a telegraph post. Two builets struck the post behind which he was standing. Behind Sutton on the sidewalk were many children and several citizens. To have fired and missed his mark would have meant the death or injury of some one and with remarkable coolness Sergeant Wright held his revolver in his hand until, the man had emptied his weapon.

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By this time the crowd was beginning to grow thicker. Out of every store on Hull Street rushed clerks and proprietors, drawn to the scene by the rapid firing. When his revolver was empty Sutton walked across the street, "breaking" his weapon as he went and partially releading it. He walked backwards to Eleventh Street, and then turned into

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WANTHELP TO-DAY.

The 80 advertisements for help published in to-day's Times-Dispatch on page 8 are as follows:

1 Domestic. 8 Trades. 18 Miscellaneous 3 Office.

their positions as well,

This not only interests those out of work, but those desiring to improve

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of Battle May Come Any Day.

Fifty Warships Sighted Off East Coast of the Batan Islands.

(By Associated Press.)
MANILA, May 25.—Official advices have been received from Vigan that on May 20th, over fifty war vessels were sighted off the east coast of the Batan islands, sailing in a northeast direction. It is supposed that the vessels were Russian.

The Batan Islands are about half way between Luzon and Formosa.

(By Associated Press.)

Avellan, head of the Russian admiralty jestvensky is steaming north to give but sible that news to the effect that the two fleets have meet may be received

In an interesting interview, Avellan reaffirms the official denial of flown and asked to be relieved. Avella

Will Go After Togo.

admiral Avenue smiled and said:
"The story of Port Arthur will not be repeated. Rojestvensky is not the kind of man to allow himself to be locked up in a port. If he gets to Vladivostok, he will not rest on his laurels, but will seek an

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AMERICAN CHAMPION

WEAVER AGAIN HAS UPPER HAND

Ejected and New Appointees Installed.

PEOPLE GIVE GREAT OVATION TO MAYOR

Latter Believes He Is Undermining Strength of Machine. Situation Growing Hourly More Tense—Rumor That Effort Will be Made to Impeach Weaver.

PHILADELPHIA, May 25.—The bitter when Mayor Weaver practically ejected ormer directors and again Installed th

Move to Impeach Mayor.

Situation Tense.

As a result of the agitation against the lease, three select and ex common councilmen have now announced that they would change hier vote on the lease. This would make the vote in select council stand 34 for the lease and 8 against, and in common council, 68 for and 16 against. It takes a two-thirds vote to pass an ordinance over the mayor's veto. Councilmen Coming Over.

AFFECTED BY FAILURE

After Great Tussle Miss Bishop Defeats English Golf Expert.

WINS FROM MISS DOD

(Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch and New York Herald.) (Copyright, by the New York Herald Co.) CROMER, May 25.—All American entrants or the women's golf championship created favorable impression to-day, and the genera

belief among the hundreds of speciators who followed them around the links is that at least three of them will make a bold bid for the championship.

Miss Georgianna Bishop, the American cham-

Miss Georgianna Bishop, the American champion, defonted Miss Lottie Dod, the English champion, by one up after a couple of ties. It was a great tussio, and it draw the biggest gallery of the year. The two champions were first to leave the tee. Both draw long balls, but Miss Bishop's was the better. Indeed, she slightly outclassed her opponents in most branches of the game.

Miss Bishop's graceful, easy style was much admired. She had some bad luck, however, and at the turn she stood three down. Coming home, she settled down to a great game, and at the eighteenth hole the match was all square.

square.

They played an extra hole and it was all square again. Antil great excitement, they went to the twentieth teo. This hole Miss Bishop won, thus securing the only match for her side.

President for Union.

SEVENTY-ONE BANKS

Boston Firm Goes Into Bankruptcy With Liabilities Exceeding \$1,700,000. (By Associated Press.)

BOSTON, MASS., May 25 .- Seventy-one

banks and trust companies, most of them in Massachusetts, but several located in various parts of the country, are among the creditors of the banking firm of Burnett, Cummings and Company, of No. 43 Milk Street, this city, which to-day filed a voluntary petition in bankruptey in the United States District Court with Habili-ties placed at \$1.714,308. The assets are stated to be uncertain. The creditors

stated to be uncertain. The creditors have been given to understood that they will not exceed \$200,000, if, indeed, they prove to be of any value whatsoever. Attorney J. T. Auebach, counsel for the bankrupt firm, said that the cause of the failure was the building and financing of severul street rallways, which went into the hands of receivers and their notes became valueless.

Furthermore, the Massachesetts Securities Company's bonds, which were secured by obligations of the railways, lost value and entailed losses upon the firm.

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The secured creditors number eighty-seven and the unsecured eighty-one. There are thirty-two Massachusetts savings banks in the list of creditors, and thirteen Massachusetts national banks. It is understood that the securities given the banks for their joans were bonds of the Massachusetts Securities Company, which, in turn, were secured by notes of the WINONA LAKE, IND., May 25.—President Roosevelt sent a message to the Pressbyterian General Assembly to-night which was read at a popular meeting for laymen. The president expressed the hope that the time would soon come when all brainches of the Presbyterian Church would be united into one great body, and the assembly gave its approval in preliqued applause.

MONTAGUE SPEAKS TO LARGE CROWD

Costello and Smith Are Opera House Taxed to Its Utmost Capacity.

MANY LADIES IN THE AUDIENCE

He Again Reviews Senator Martin's Record and Submits His Claims to the People, and Declares That He Will Train With No Machine.

LYNCHBURG, VA., May 25.-Governor Academy of Music to-night which taxed was presented by Mr. A. R. Long, a well over the meeting. More than a hundred

on the power of the American govern-

son and Appomattox countles occupied

on the power of the American government, and upon the election or senators by popular vote. The Governor referred to the machine politics resorted to in some of the States, and declared if he were elected, he did not care to have influence with that character of men. "If you expect me to endeavor to exert an influence with men who are under indictment, then I beg you not to vote for me. I don't say the junior senator will exert an influence with such men. I say I will not.

"I have always stood in favor of the emocratic primary. I submit after

Railway Rates.

Referring to the railway rate of a said: "You will never have

busy making a record and he had to get a chart of it before he knew what it was."

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In reference to the settlement of the claims against the United States, in which he claimed the State was saved only \$5.50, he explained his claim in \$\frac{x}{2}\$, actly the same way he did in the Bedford speech, and he withdrew the statement made in an early speech that Senator Martin has voted aginst the Call resolution, saying his statement was based upon the record furnished him by a bureau in Washington. He sald he gladly retracted the charge. "I am wiffing to concede that the junior senator has been diligent," he continued, "to concede he has answered letters promptly, and accord hi mas much time as he pleases to apologize to those whom he has made efforts to get appropriations, but there I stop.

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"So far as I can gather from his record, he thinks these are the duties of
a senator. That is, indeed, a small part.
If to get appropriation is the duty of a
senator, why not join the Republican
party. Surely an influential Republican,
Mr. Siemp, if you please, ought to get
more appropriations than a minority
Democrat.

"It has been charged that all of the
railroad presidents of the State are sup-

"It has been charged that all of the railroad presidents of the State are supporting me. I am delighted. Yet, how few of them live in Virginia. How is it, my fellow citizens of Lynchhurg, that those gentlemen who look after legislation in this State, are all against me? Look at the State Executive Committee. Consider how many of the members are supporting

Fair Field and No Favor.

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"I do not dispute their right to oppose me, but all I want is a fair field and no favor and I think I will have it and having it, I am confident of the results, but, if they are not as I hope for, I will be thankful enough."

The Governor declared he was not endeavoring to disparage any one, declaring he was not trying to oust Senator Martin from his seat a moment before his term had expired. He added:

"The place does not belong to him, but is one to be filled by the people and comes before them to be settled in a Democratic primary.

"He goes on to talk of his long experience and intimating that I am inexperience."